

An Extra
Form for a Friend

**Treasure Our
History in this
Bicentennial of
the Constitution
Year When You
Purchase Valuable
Coins and Medals
from the United
States Mint!**



Be a part of our nation's history and build a collection of valuable coins and medals. You can buy directly from the U.S. Mint. If you are already a collector, add these finely-crafted 1987 Constitution coins to your collection. Some of the Mint's most popular offerings are highlighted here.

Commemorate U.S. History With The U.S. Mint



Constitution Proof Silver Dollars

Because the initial demand for the Gold United States Constitution Coins was so overwhelming, we are not able to offer the gold issue. However, quantities of the silver one dollar coin in proof and uncirculated versions are still available from the Mint. The silver dollar proof coin with its frosted image and mirrored background is produced at the U.S. Assay Office in San Francisco and bears the "S" mint mark. It is encapsulated and presented in an attractive presentation case.

Single Silver Dollar Proof \$28
Option No. B01

Constitution Uncirculated Silver Dollars

The U.S. Mint is proud to offer the only legal tender limited edition coins minted by the U.S. Treasury in tribute to the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution. The silver dollar uncirculated coin is encapsulated to protect its brilliant finish and mounted in a beautiful presentation case. It is struck at the Philadelphia Mint and bears the "P" mint mark.

Single Silver Dollar Uncirculated \$26
Option No. B04



The 1987 Prestige Set

Featuring the United States Constitution Proof Silver Dollar and a complete set of 1987 proof coins—half dollar, quarter, dime, nickel, and one cent coin—the Prestige Set is bound in a distinctive fabric featuring a heraldic eagle on the cover.

\$45 per set
Option No. B08



1987 United States Mint Proof Coin Set

In these 1987 Proof Coins, the frosted relief stands out from the mirror-finished background for a dramatic cameo effect, perfect for a gift or an addition to a collection. The set features: a Kennedy half dollar, a Washington quarter, a Roosevelt dime, a Jefferson nickel and a Lincoln cent. This set may offer you one of the few opportunities to obtain a 1987 Kennedy half dollar.

\$11 per set, Option No. P87



1987 United States Mint Uncirculated Coin Set

The Uncirculated Coin Set is handled with special care and sealed in Mylar™ for lasting protection. It contains 10 coins—one for each denomination produced by the Denver and Philadelphia Mints and bearing the official mint mark of each Mint, as well as an official mint mark piece from both facilities.

\$7 per set, Option No. U87

Even if you're not interested in ordering this time, you can add your name to the U.S. Mint's mailing list. This way you'll be informed of the Mint's special products from proof bullion coins and commemorative issues



Official Medals of the U.S. Mint

With these historical sets of medals of the U.S. Presidents, we are now offering a valuable Collector's Album. This custom-crafted album is designed to display all your miniature 1-5/16-inch size Presidential medals with windows on each side for an obverse and reverse view of each medal. When you purchase the album you receive with it a free companion volume, *The Presidents of the United States of America*, a joint project of

The White House

Historical Association

and the National

Geographic Society. The

book contains a photograph

of the full-color official portrait

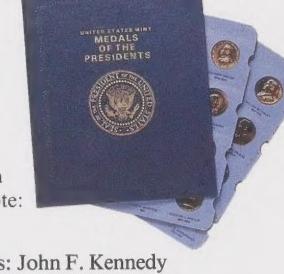
and a biographical sketch of each President. We

are also offering for the first time the official

3-inch bronze President Ronald Reagan medal in a

deluxe presentation case with a display stand. (Note:

The presentation case will be shipped separately.)



Collector's Album (without
medals) and *The Presidents of the
United States of America* book.

Price: \$12

Option No. 043

**7 Medals: John F. Kennedy
through Ronald Reagan, including
a medal of the White House.**

Price: \$8 per set

Option No. 153

16 Medals: George Washington
through Abraham Lincoln.

Price: \$15 per set

Option No. 150

Collector's Album, *The Presidents
of the United States of America*
book, and complete set of medals.

Price: \$54

Option No. 154

9 Medals: Andrew Johnson
through Theodore Roosevelt.

Price: \$10 per set

Option No. 151

3-inch bronze President Ronald
Reagan medal in a deluxe presentation
case with display stand.

Price: \$21

Option No. 155

8 Medals: William H. Taft through
Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Price: \$9 per set

Option No. 152

A Salute to Our Armed Forces

In peace and war, our Armed Forces protect the liberties guaranteed in our U.S. Constitution. Congress first awarded medals to honor heroes of the Revolutionary War and the long tradition of honoring distinguished military service began. From our collection of military medals we present:



**U.S. Army Bicentennial:
3" \$16.00, Option No. 429**

**Missing in Action:
1-5/16" \$2.25, Option No. 678**

**U.S. Navy Bicentennial:
3" \$16.00, Option No. 534**

**Vietnam Veterans National
Medal:
3" \$16.00, Option No. 686**

**U.S. Marine Corps Bicentennial:
3" \$16.00, Option No. 535**

1-1/2" \$2.25, Option No. 685

**Air Force Brigadier General
Charles E. Yeager:
3" \$16.00, Option No. 662**

Susan B. Anthony Dollars

Susan B. Anthony, a pioneer of the suffrage movement in the United States, was the first non-symbolic American woman portrayed on a circulating U.S. coin.

Price: \$10 per set

Option 055: A complete set of six uncirculated coins, one from each of the production facilities for 1979 and 1980. The set is sealed in protective Mylar.™

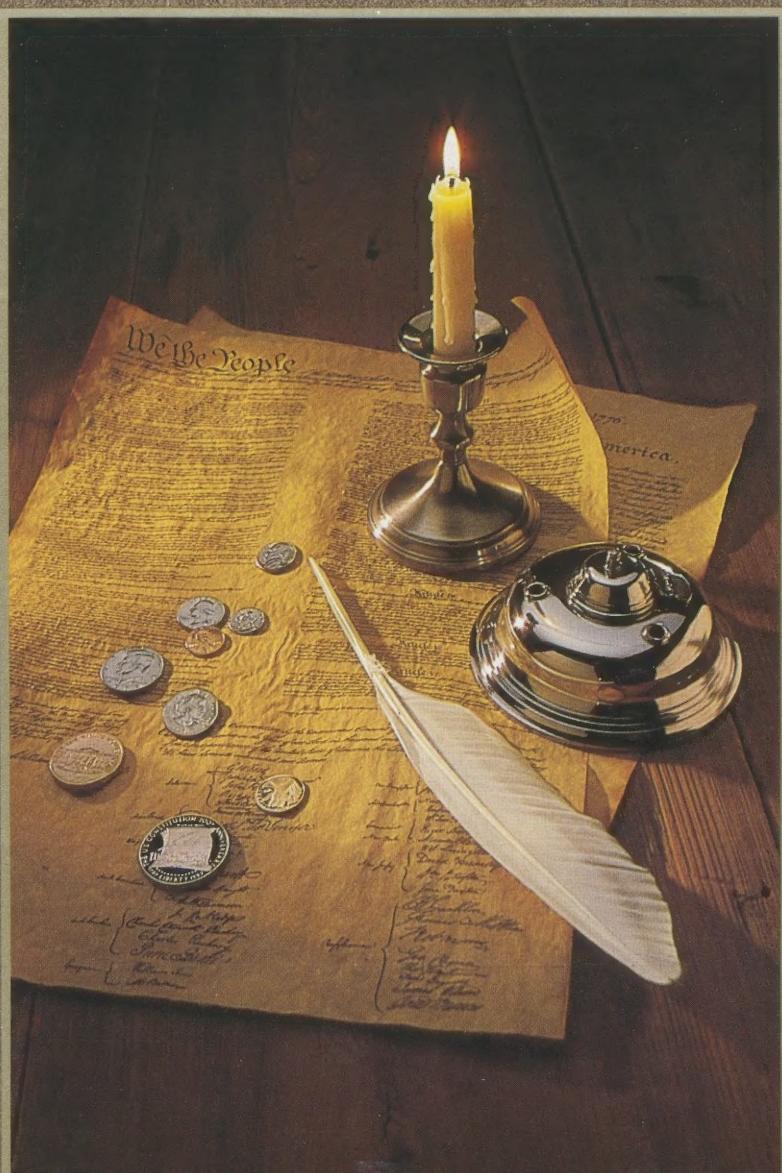
Or bags of uncirculated coins (100 or 2,000) from the Mint vaults, with the Mint and year of mintage stamped on each bag.

Option No.	Bag Size	Year	Mint Mark	Price	Option No.	Bag Size	Year	Mint Mark	Price
060	\$100	1979	P	\$110	074	\$2000	1979	P	\$2,050
061	100	1979	D	110	075	2000	1979	D	2,050
062	100	1979	S	110	076	2000	1979	S	2,050
063	100	1980	P	110	077	2000	1980	P	2,050
064	100	1980	D	110	078	2000	1980	D	2,050
065	100	1980	S	110	079	2000	1980	S	2,050

to each year's United States Mint Uncirculated and Proof Set offerings. To order or simply add your name to our mailing list, just fill out the form on the reverse and mail it in the pre-addressed envelope.

UNITED STATES MINT

Catalogue of Official Coins and Medals





We are delighted to present you with our new catalogue of coins and medals—only the third in the U.S. Mint's 195-year history. On these pages you will find a wonderful array of U.S. coins and medals that capture historic events and honor men and women who have made great contributions towards the strong, free nation that we live in today.

When you buy coins and medals from the U.S. Mint, you are participating in our national heritage, while adding treasures of personal value to your own coin collection, or presenting deeply appreciated gifts to relatives and friends.

The U.S. Mint—Rich in History

This year we celebrate the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution. Two hundred years ago, on September 17, 1787, in Philadelphia's State House, delegates walked up to a silver inkstand and signed the new Constitution, uniting four million Americans. It was an historic moment for the world—the birth of a nation and of a new democratic form of government.

Five years later, the Act of April 2, 1792 established the United States Mint and a national coinage system. It was desperately needed. Before the Constitution, a uniform system was nonexistent.

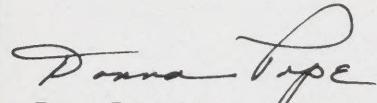
So committed was President George Washington to the new coinage system that he donated family silver for the experimental production of half dimes that were struck in 1792. General circulation began in 1793, with 112,212 one cent pieces about the size of a present-day quarter and made of 264 grams of pure copper.

Commemorating the Bicentennial of the Constitution

To honor this historic year of the Bicentennial of the Constitution, Congress passed legislation which was signed into Public Law by President Reagan on October 29, 1986, authorizing the United States Mint to issue not more than 1,000,000 gold five dollar coins and 10,000,000 silver one dollar coins commemorating the 200th anniversary of this magnificent document.

Secretary of the Treasury James A. Baker, III selected the Constitution Coins designs from those submitted by eleven artists from the private sector as well as members of the engraving staff of the U.S. Mint in a special limited competition.

For U.S. Constitution Coins and all the other items available from the U.S. Mint, we proudly present you with this new catalogue. I invite you to share our glorious history with coins and medals you will cherish now and for years to come.

The signature of Donna Pope, Director of the U.S. Mint, written in cursive script.

Donna Pope
Director of the U.S. Mint



Hold On To The Promise... United States Constitution Coins

Capturing the spirit of 200 years of freedom and celebrating the promise of the signing of the Constitution 200 years ago, the U.S. Mint has proudly produced both gold and silver United States Constitution Coins.

The United States Constitution Silver Dollar, minted in .900 fine silver, was designed by Patricia L. Verani, a noted medallic sculptress. With a diameter of 1.5 inches and containing 0.76 troy ounces of silver, this legal tender coin features a sheaf of parchment and a quill pen on the obverse with the inscription "We The People." The reverse displays a cross-section of Americans from past and present in a dramatic parade through history. The mintage of the United States Constitution Silver Dollar is limited to ten million coins.

Minted in precious .900 fine gold and containing 0.24 troy ounces of gold, the United States Constitution Five Dollar Coin features a dramatic American eagle holding a quill pen on the obverse, with a quill and the inscription "We The People" on the reverse. The distinguished artist/sculptor Marcel Jovine designed this beautiful coin. Mintage is limited by law to one million coins.

The initial demand for the Gold United States Constitution Coins was so overwhelming that we are not able to offer the gold issue in this catalogue. You may still be able to purchase Gold Constitution Coins through major national retailers, financial institutions, or coin dealers.

However, you may obtain United States Constitution Silver Coins directly from the United States Mint in either proof or uncirculated condition, enclosed in a protective capsule and packaged in a rich presentation case.



United States Constitution Uncirculated Silver Dollars

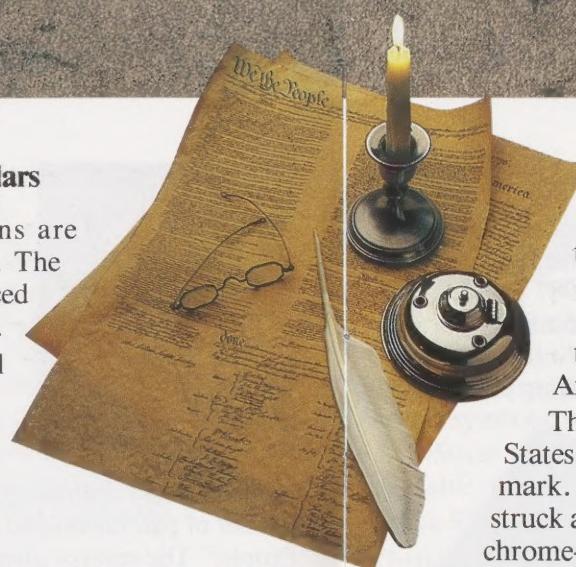
These brilliantly gleaming uncirculated coins are individually encapsulated for long lasting protection. The Constitution Silver Dollar Uncirculated Coin is produced at the Philadelphia Mint and bears the "P" mint mark.

As required by law, the United States Mint will cease production of all Constitution coins June 30, 1988, and the dies will later be destroyed.

**Price: Single Silver Dollar Uncirculated \$26
Option No. B04**

Through History With The Mint

The Lincoln cent, first issued in 1909, introduced the first non-symbolic portrait coin into U.S. circulating coinage. It celebrated the 100th anniversary of Lincoln's birth. The coin's designer, Victor D. Brenner, developed the obverse design from a profile photograph of Lincoln taken in 1864 at the Matthew Brady studio in Washington, D.C.



United States Constitution Proof Silver Dollars

The gleaming flawless finish of the U.S. Mint's Proof Constitution Silver Dollars makes them a prized addition to the collections of both experienced numismatists and new collectors.

Minted in limited quantities in honor of the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution, these coins symbolize a commitment to America's founding document and the principles it embodies.

The Constitution Silver Dollar Proof Coin is minted by the United States Assay Office in San Francisco, and bears an "S" mint mark. To create the proof finish, each coin is struck at least twice with highly polished chrome-plated dies, creating a

beautiful frosted image on a mirror-like background. Proof coins, indeed, represent a triumph of the minter's art.



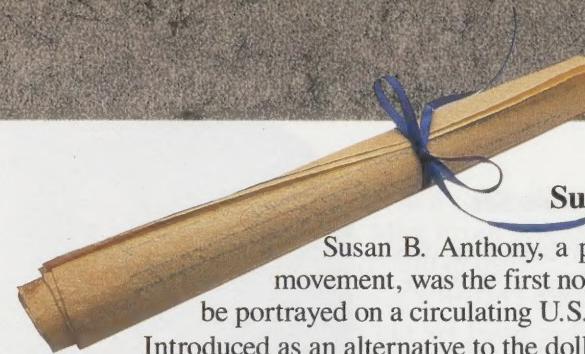
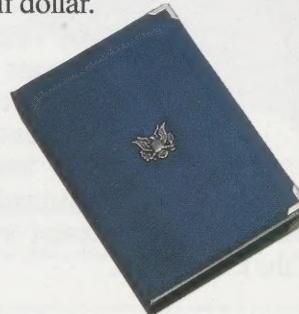
**Price:
Single Silver
Dollar Proof \$28
Option No. B01**



The 1987 Prestige Set

This finely crafted library edition is bound in a rich fabric with a heraldic eagle on the cover. Featuring the United States Constitution Silver Dollar Proof Coin, the 1987 Prestige Set also includes five 1987 proof coins for this Constitution Bicentennial year: the half dollar, quarter, dime, nickel and one cent coin. The 1987 Kennedy half dollar commands special interest since it may not be minted for general circulation this year. This set offers you one of the few opportunities to obtain the 1987 Kennedy half dollar.

Price: \$45 per set
Option No. B08



Susan B. Anthony Dollars

Susan B. Anthony, a pioneer in the women's suffrage movement, was the first non-symbolic American woman to be portrayed on a circulating U.S. coin.

Introduced as an alternative to the dollar bill in 1979, the coin profiles Susan B. Anthony on the obverse side. On the reverse, a great occasion in American history is commemorated—the historic moon landing on July 20, 1969, with a symbolic representation of the Apollo II space craft, "The Eagle."

Susan B. Anthony Dollars dated 1979 and 1980 in uncirculated condition are available directly from the U.S. Mint.

Price \$10 per set

Option No. 055 A complete set of six uncirculated coins, one from each producing facility (Philadelphia "P", Denver "D", and San Francisco "S"), is available for 1979 and 1980. The coins are sealed in durable Mylar™.

Or order bags of coins produced at specific production facilities—100 or 2,000 coins, directly from Mint vaults with the production facility and year of mintage stamped on each bag.

Use the chart to determine mint mark, year and bag size you wish to order.

Option No.	Bag Size	Year	Mint Mark	Price
060	\$100	1979	P	\$110
061	100	1979	D	110
062	100	1979	S	110
063	100	1980	P	110
064	100	1980	D	110
065	100	1980	S	110
074	2000	1979	P	2,050
075	2000	1979	D	2,050
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077	2000	1980	P	2,050
078	2000	1980	D	2,050
079	2000	1980	S	2,050

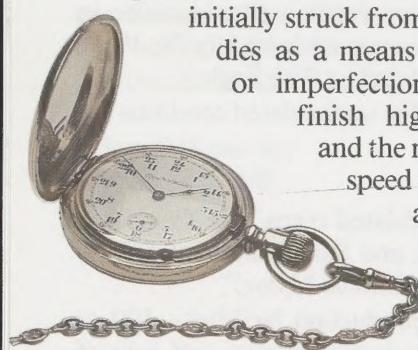
Through History With The Mint...

The first women hired by the U.S. Mint were Misses Sarah Waldrake and Rachael Summers. They served as adjusters in the Philadelphia Mint in 1795 at 50 cents per day, weighing gold coins, and correcting overweight coins by scraping and filing.



1987 United States Mint Proof Coin Set

Public sale of proof coins began in the 1850's, under the 9th director of the U.S. Mint, James Ross Snowden.



Specialized "master" or "proof" coins were initially struck from the highly polished dies as a means to check for flaws or imperfections. The mirror-like finish highlights every detail, and the multiple striking at slow speed with extra pressure results in a sharper image and an unmatched clarity of detail. On proof coins, the frosted relief stands out from the mirrored background, creating a dramatic two-toned effect.



Since 1987 Kennedy half dollars may not be minted for general circulation, the U.S. Mint Proof Coin Set offers you one of the few ways to obtain the Kennedy half dollar.

As a treasured gift, or as a prized addition to a new or established collection, the 1987 Proof Coin Set features five coins: a Kennedy half dollar, a Washington quarter, a Roosevelt dime, a Jefferson nickel, and a Lincoln cent. They are sealed in a protective case and packaged attractively with a detailed specification card. Produced by the U.S. Assay Office in San Francisco, each coin bears the "S" mint mark.

Price: \$11 per set

Option No. P87

Through History With The Mint . . .

Following the last night of the great San Francisco earthquake and fire in 1906, San Francisco Mint Superintendent, Frank Leach, ordered the U.S. Flag run up the Mint flagpole to show all in the demolished city that "the flag was still flying." Since the city had been destroyed, the Mint temporarily handled the city's transactions and served as the treasury for the relief fund.



Proof Coin Set Specifications						
Denomination	Cent	Nickel	Dime	Quarter	Half Dollar	
Obverse	Lincoln	Jefferson	Roosevelt	Washington	Kennedy	
Designed by	V.D. Brenner	Felix Schlag	John R. Sinnock	John Flanagan	Gilroy Roberts	
Reverse	Lincoln Memorial	Monticello	Torch, Olive Branch, Oak Branch	Heraldic Eagle	Heraldic Eagle	
Designed by	Frank Gasparo	Felix Schlag	John R. Sinnock	John Flanagan	Frank Gasparo	
Composition	Copper Plated Zinc 2.5% Cu Balance Zn	Cupro-Nickel 25% Ni Balance Cu	Cupro-Nickel Clad 8.33% Ni Balance Cu	Cupro-Nickel Clad 8.33% Ni Balance Cu	Cupro-Nickel Clad 8.33% Ni Balance Cu	
Standard Weight	2.500 g	5.000 g	2.268 g	5.670 g	11.340 g	
Standard Diameter	0.750 in 19.05 mm	0.836 in 21.21 mm	0.705 in 17.91 mm	0.955 in 24.26 mm	1.205 in 30.61 mm	
Edge	Plain	Plain	Reeded	Reeded	Reeded	



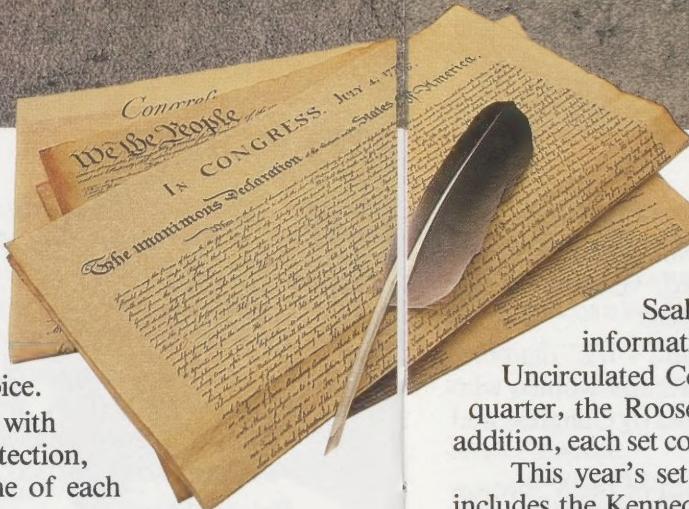
1987 United States Mint Uncirculated Coin Set

Uncirculated Coins are part of a tradition that dates back to 1792, when Congress authorized the minting of the first national coinage. They are often the first pieces chosen by a new collector and tend to become a perennial choice.

Your 1987 Uncirculated Coin Set, handled with special care and packaged for long lasting protection, includes 10 coins in uncirculated condition—one of each denomination produced by both the Denver and the

Through History With The Mint...

The United States Mint in Philadelphia houses seven brilliantly-colored Favrlie glass mosaics, executed in 1901 under the personal direction of Louis C. Tiffany of Tiffany Jewelry fame. They illustrate ancient Roman coinage methods, and were appraised in 1971 at close to half a million dollars.



Philadelphia Mints and struck with the official mint mark of each Mint. Maintaining tradition, the one cent coin from the Philadelphia Mint has no mint mark.

Sealed in Mylar™ and presented in an attractive folder with an informational brochure and detailed specification card, your 1987

Uncirculated Coin Set contains the Kennedy half dollar, the Washington quarter, the Roosevelt dime, the Jefferson nickel, and the Lincoln cent. In addition, each set contains a mint mark piece from each producing facility.

This year's set may be unique simply because it includes the Kennedy half dollar. Since there appear to be ample inventories of half dollars on hand, the 1987 Kennedy half dollar may not be minted for general circulation. If this happens, it will be available only as part of the U.S. Mint's coin sets.

Price: \$7 per set

Option No. U87



Specifications—1987 U.S. Mint Uncirculated Coin Set

Denomination	Cent	Nickel	Dime	Quarter	Half Dollar
Obverse	Lincoln	Jefferson	Roosevelt	Washington	Kennedy
Designed by	V.D. Brenner	Felix Schlag	John R. Sinnock	John Flanagan	Gilroy Roberts
Reverse	Lincoln Memorial	Monticello	Torch Olive Branch Oak Branch	Heraldic Eagle	Heraldic Eagle
Designed by	Frank Gasparro	Felix Schlag	John R. Sinnock	John Flanagan	Frank Gasparro
Composition	Copper Plated Zinc 2.5% Cu Balance Zn	Cupro-Nickel 25% Ni Balance Cu	Cupro-Nickel 8.33% Ni Balance Cu	Cupro-Nickel 8.33% Ni Balance Cu	Cupro-Nickel 8.33% Ni Balance Cu
Standard Weight	2.500 g	5.000 g	2.268 g	5.670 g	11.340 g
Standard Diameter	0.750 in 19.05 mm	0.835 in 21.21 mm	0.705 in 17.91 mm	0.955 in 24.26 mm	1.205 in 30.61 mm
Edge	Plain	Plain	Reeded	Reeded	Reeded



The U.S. Mint's Salute To Our Armed Forces

Congress first awarded medals to heroes of the Revolutionary War, and for two hundred years this commemoration has continued. Yesterday's and today's heroes are honored in these finely crafted bronze medals.

The Vietnam Veterans National Medal, struck in 3" and 1-1/2" diameter sizes, commemorates the courage and dedication of the men and women who served in the Vietnam conflict. The Public Law was authorized by Congress and signed by President Reagan on October 30, 1984.

The 1-5/16" bronze Missing in Action medal is a replica of the 3" bronze medal authorized by law in September, 1983 for presentation to the next-of-kin of the 2,494 Americans, military and civilian, missing or otherwise unaccounted for in Southeast Asia.

The 200th anniversaries of the U.S. Army, Navy, and Marine Corps were all celebrated with the striking of national historical medals—with soldiers, ships, and marines from 1775 to 1975.

The Air Force is represented by retired Air Force General Charles E. "Chuck" Yeager, the first person to fly faster than the speed of sound. The reverse design features the XS I research plane in which General Yeager broke the sound barrier. President Gerald Ford presented the medal in December, 1976.

Missing in Action:

1-5/16" \$2.25
Option No. 678

Air Force Brigadier General
Charles E. Yeager:

3" \$16.00
Option No. 662

Vietnam Veterans National Medal:

3" \$16.00
Option No. 686
1½" \$2.25
Option No. 685

U.S. Army Bicentennial:

3" \$16.00
Option No. 429

U.S. Navy Bicentennial:

3" \$16.00
Option No. 534

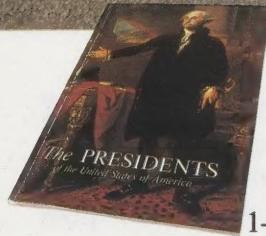
U.S. Marine Corps Bicentennial:

3" \$16.00
Option No. 535

Through History With The Mint...

During World War II, copper and nickel were critical to the war effort. The Mint switched to making zinc-coated steel cents, producing over one billion in 1943. The wartime change meant an annual savings of enough copper to meet the needs of two cruisers, 2 destroyers, 1,245 flying fortresses, 120 field guns and 120 howitzers.





A Tribute to The Nation's Highest Office... The Presidential Medal Series

These tributes in bronze to the nation's highest office are 1-5/16-inch exact replicas of the Official Mint Medals of the Presidents.

Consistently popular, these miniature medals are an excellent introduction to U.S. history and a beautiful addition to any collection. Struck in bronze and protectively packaged to preserve the soft luster, these wonderful gifts can now be showcased in your Official U.S. Mint Presidential Miniature Medals Collector's Album.

Collector's Album

Custom-crafted for the miniature medals, the collector's album is designed so that you can view both sides of your medals, with a display window for each. The President's name and term in office is printed below each display window. A special binding allows you to add album pages.



Receive a Valuable Companion

Volume

When you order your collector's album, you receive a valuable companion volume—*The Presidents of the United States of America*—a joint project of the White House Historical Association and the National Geographic Society. This handsome softcover edition features a full-color photograph of the official portrait and a biographical sketch of each president, with a foreword by President Reagan.



Also available is a larger 3-inch size bronze presidential medal of President Ronald Reagan in a handsome presentation case.

16 Medals: George Washington through Abraham Lincoln.

Price: \$15 per set

Option No. 150

9 Medals: Andrew Johnson through Theodore Roosevelt.

Price: \$10 per set

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8 Medals: William H. Taft through Dwight D. Eisenhower.

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7 Medals: John F. Kennedy through Ronald Reagan, including a medal of the White House.

Price: \$8 per set

Option No. 153

Collector's Album (without medals) and *The Presidents of the United States of America* book.

Price: \$12

Option No. 043

Collector's Album. *The Presidents of the United States of America* book, and complete set of medals.

Price: \$54

Option No. 154



3-inch bronze President Ronald Reagan medal in deluxe presentation case with display stand.
(Note: The presentation case will be shipped separately.)
Price: \$21
Option No. 155

Ordering Instructions

To order Proof, Uncirculated, Constitution and/or Prestige Sets, simply enter the quantity desired in the appropriate block of the enclosed order form and show the total cost in the column to the right.

For Susan B. Anthony Dollars and U.S. Mint Medals, enter the option number, item description, quantity, and cost in the spaces provided.

Deadlines: For Christmas delivery of coins and medals, we must receive your order by November 2, 1987. Orders for 1987 Prestige Sets and Constitution Coins will be shipped as soon as possible, but due to demand, the U.S. Mint cannot guarantee delivery in time for Christmas.

Payment: Please do not send cash. Pay with a personal check or cashier's check drawn on a United States bank and payable in U.S. currency. United States or international money orders drawn in U.S. funds are also acceptable. Remittances by check should be made payable to "United States Mint." For credit card purchases (VISA and MasterCard only), please enter complete card number, expiration date, and provide signature. Checks will be deposited and credit card orders billed when received by the U.S. Mint. The Mint assumes no liability for lost payments.

Limitations: Orders are not valid until accepted. The Mint reserves the right to decline or limit orders based on production constraints, statutory mintage ceilings, distribution allotments, or other reasons. All prices are subject to change.

Method of Shipment: Your order may be shipped by either registered mail, first class mail, and/or United Parcel Service.

Orders for multiple items may be shipped in separate packages.

Delivery: Please allow 8 weeks for most orders, except for Constitution Coins and Prestige Sets which may take up to twenty weeks.

Take Your Place on the U.S. Mint Mailing List: The United States Mint has only one customer mailing list. Your first order from the U.S. Mint automatically adds your name to the list. If you do not wish to order at this time, but do want to be placed on the list, send your name, address and zip code to the following address: **United States Mint, Customer Affairs Staff, 10001 Aerospace Drive, Lanham, MD 20706.**



For further information, please write to:

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